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- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) “Committees of jurisdiction” means the committees of the General Assembly that routinely handle the policy issues and legislation related to a specific governmental activity or unit subject to review under this subtitle.
- (c) “Department” means the Department of Legislative Services.
- (d) “Evaluation” means the process of legislative review of a governmental activity or unit used to determine:
  - (1) whether the governmental activity or unit should be reestablished or terminated; and
  - (2) what, if any, statutory or nonstatutory changes should be recommended to the General Assembly to improve the operations of the governmental activity or unit.
- (e) “Governmental activity” means a program, service, or other function of government.
- (f) “Office” means the office in the Department of Legislative Services designated by the Executive Director of the Department.

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